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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In response to the communication dated May 10, 2001 (copy enclosed), applicant submits herewith a Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 CFR §1.824. In addition, applicant submits a substitute Sequence Listing as required under 37 CFR §1.823(a) and a statement under 37 CFR §1.821(f).

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the substitute paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the instant application. Furthermore, applicant requests entry of the following amendments.

In the specification:

Replace the original Sequence Listing with the substitute Sequence Listing filed herewith.

Replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 25 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- Figure 2 is a schematic diagram depicting the construction of the rat proopiomelanocortin (POMC)/mouse proinsulin II (POMC-Ins) fusion transgene. P = prepeptide coding region; B = B-chain coding region; C = C-peptide coding region; A = A-chain

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